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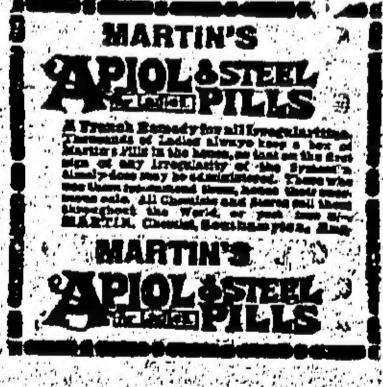
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Dr. James, Murphy writes in the " St day Pictorial ":--Why has Germany not declared we

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The Bayarian frontier is entirely un defended. There is not a fortress block the entrance of the Italians. Au! they are drawing perilously near. Every Alpino pass they take is a ready-made trench, where they are thoroughly dug in. When they appear before the Bavarian frontier, which is only about fifty miles from where they are now fight ing, the Alps will stand behind them as a perfectly armed fortress. If they get to Innsbruck, which is rother plain said ing once they have passed Franzensfeste, they will be within seven miles of the South German frontier. Only few more Alpine passes jutting into Germany will have to be taken, and then the Munich plain is at "their mercy. That is the Achilles heel of Germany. If you look at it from the political viewpoint the situation is worse. Bava-

with a population of eight millio some of the most thriving cities Germany, is the second largest State the German Empire. She has always fundamentally antagonistic Prussia, and has more than once decamt of being leader in a South German Federation. She has her own King an Parliament, her own army, her own War Administration, her Royal Post, her

State railways, her schools, her own Customs and Excise. Every field national activity is ruled from blunich The King is head of the army in time of count of the upstart classes who have munity of beings-for all we know, no peace; but in time of war it passes to the Kaiser's control. That is the only practical the binding Bavaria to Prinsia. BAVABLA'S TRACEC MINTAKE.

blow, which she has not forgotten. Today she is sick to death of Prussian dictation, and another dose of it may turn her national gorge.

Trussia knows this well, and that is Prussian pig says Grunt. ?" why the Kaiser is so slow to declare war ngningst Italy. He does not believe that to the Swiss steamer and said: the Bavarians can be trusted to throw themselves heart and soul into an aggresive policy, but he hopes that if they are

to defend themselves. feel sure that they have no heart for the soldiers can defend a country whose losing game. They certainly will not be were inclined to play it to a bitter finish, by the side of a partner against whom they have an old and deep antagonism.

DEGENERATE - SCOUNDREL. But people will say : What about Prince Rupprocht? Is he not the most rabid Prussian of them all 2 And his father, the King of Bavaria? Is it not also true that the Kaiser has been patting them on the back and wishing they bould meet the English just once? Is it not true that Bavarian soldiers committed horrors as revolting "in those

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they not been shooting defenceless prisoners of war All that is prue, and yet not true.

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So Prussia engineered that the Bavarian Prince Regent should receive the title of King. It was merely a makeshift, brought about to tide the nation over the shock of the oneoming war. By may perhaps drop in to tea." All one THE ORDINARY HALF YEARLY the masses of the people Rupprecht and needs is some contrivance for generating his father are looked upon as interlopers a velocity exceeding seven miles per will be held-at the Company's Horse on and treated accordingly.

But can Bavaris do snything to draw but I'm afraid I cannot calculate it out of the whole business? And does within a few hundred million miles or the pulse of the people at large beat for war, or for peace? It is hard to judge !. what the sentiment exactly is-one hears conflicting rumours-but I am of opinithoroughly sick of the whole business. Of course, they are intermingled with Prussians; and one must also take acthe core of the nation is soundly anti- the Universe.

WITHOUT A PASSPORT. Why, then, should she concern herself had come for me to leave their country, worst-of analogies is that one does not too deeply in an Empire of which she I dame down to the border at Lindau, know how far to follow them. They, does not form an essential part? She and had not a shred of a passport with too, are not altogether judged by rule made a tragic mistake when she joined me. Of course, I was an alien enemy, For instance, if I were to say to Jones it in 1870, and if she can now and a and it was strictly Verboten to allow me that my friend Smith was like a thinoway out of her difficulty, she will not over the border. But I got over just the ceros, Jones would probably want to be inclined to follow her mistake to the same; simply because I chaffed a Bava- know why. If I were to answer that point of utter annihilation. In the war rian official about being under the domi- both had two eyes, a nose and a mouth, of 1808 she sided with Austria, and was mution of Prussia. He said I was an the jury would probably acquit Jones compelled to cede some of her territory alien enemy of military ago: I assured with a verdiet of justifiable homicide: to Prussia, together with a war indemnity him that I was nobody's enemy. I never ! If, on the other hand. I said that h of two and a half millions. That is a wanted war. "Did you? I asked. " Nein." he said:

" Are you a Prussian?" "Nein, nein, God be praised, nein.

That sottled it. He walked with me

Wiederschen And I mean it. cause I believed in my heart that these people would not remain in the war to attacked they will have spirit enough the end. That belief is firmer now. It is true that they have not control of But will they? That is the question: their army, and Prussian soldiers, may I know the Bavarians very well, and I be sent to defend them. But no strange

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So, after all, this looks like a new good to Perlin. A wedge may be driven up through the centre of Garmane. Plonty of reinforcements can be poured [ THINESE ASSISTANT or APPREN through Trickts to help the Itelians. The march to Berlin may start at Munich, and, the defending German troops muy be driven westward over the Rhine. What un prony of fate it would he were they to find defent and a grave amid the plains of Belgium, where they had hoped to erect an Arch of Triumph!

ON A SPORTING CHANCE OF LEAVING THE SOLAR SYSTEM.

(From the " Mill Hill Magazine.")

"If a body be projected from the earth with a velocity extracting seven miles per second, prove that it will not return to the earth and may even leave solar system." I suppose that -people are so busy making themselves ludierous for the benefit of those few who, like myself, spend their lives in laughing at the rest-far too busy, indeed, to see any humour except in things that they have been sold are humorousthere will be many who see in the above quotation merely an ordinary exercise-in elementary Dynamics. 'As a matter of committed by the Prussians? And have fact that is exactly what it is just an ordinary exercise in Dynamics; yet it contains the essence of the extraordinary. Even as you may be just an ordinary member of humanity, yet at the same time a most extraordinary person.

Thanks to H. G. Wells and others, we are quite familiar, with the moon and one or two of the planets; in fact, many are inclined to think of them quite disdainfully, as exposed mysteries, rather like one's talks of ghost and goblins. Yet there are very few who can dismiss the Universe so easily. "And may eyen leave the solar system." It is as though one had started to give a lecture fon the anatomy of a deed frog and then and cannot be given or taken away by suddenly found oneself confronted with the sight of a live elephant. In the first place it needs a colessal impudence talk about the subject at all. What the Universe has man got to do with such things? It makes one think of rabbit in the heart of Russia discussing the probable results of a German invasion of England. How in all this tiny world of ours is man; to know what goes outside his own small province? Then, eyen supposing that the laws of the case have been understood and that the enunciation is correct, there is something sublimely casual in the arrangements made for this unfortunate body.

> And may even leave the solar systent." Just as I might say, " Oh, I shall be round your way to-morrow, and recond. As for the rest-well, I'm sorry

. Of course you may run up against some planet, but on the whole there is sporting chance of leaving this corner on that the genuine Baysrian stock is of the Universe. Perhaps if the body were big enough, and the Fates agreed, it might land on some other world out there and blot out some peaceful combeen Prussianised in the schools. Still uncommon occurrence in the history of

And if such things depend on chance why fliguld there be a Providence over-Last September, when I felt the time ruling the trivial happenings? But the Tooked like one, he had a nose like horn, an aborningly bad temper, was addicted to grunting and generally butter in where he was not wanted. I migh "Then why must you grunt if the get into trouble with Smith, but the analogy would be complete.

Now-there are one or two things with Which every one is theroughly sequaint ed, viz., the failings of one's neighbours. the enuse, methods, probable results, and one or two other details of the Great Wire But our idea of the heavens is rather that of the poet's

And that inverted livel they call the Sky Whereunder crawling coop'd we live

even on the wings of so impiring a text, something goes wrong; and we find our selves once more struggling in the mire. Perhaps the reason why I cannot trate imy analogy is that the original is not trine Avlo knows? It may be that korne alyalic policemate keopa guard offi side this world to stop the adventurous body that would exceed the speed limit of seven miles a second. Certain it that seme hard limit constrains of powers, beyond which we may not pass Fer us the lower levels and the safe speed alone.

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NOTICE.

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-By Order of the Board J. H. TAGGART.

Acting Secretary. Hongkong: August 17, 1915.

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### WAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

### THE BRITISH LANDING AT SUVLA BAY.

A CLEYER PIECE OF WORK.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 5.15 a.m. ni received from Athens of the new British landing in Gallipoli at Suvia Bay-says the landing was effected on the foreshore at the front of a sale lake. There was only a small Turkish observation post, the Turks having been led by the reports of recent activities to concentrate their forces on the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles and at Smyrna, where they expected the attacks.

The whole landing force, with ammunition, baggage and artillery reached the shore practically unopposed, with few casualties. immediately advanced and quickly seized positions proviously planned for capture. After entrenching, the right wing advanced and effected a junction with the left wing at Saribair.

The forces in their new positions threatened the Turks"communications, and the enemy eventually brought up forces and attacked, but they were repulsed easily and with serious loss.

### AUSTRIA'S RECENT LOSSES AGAINST ITALY.

LONDON, Aug. 17.

A telegram from Laibach via Geneva says that the Austrians-in the Sexten Valley have lost seven miles of trenches, 3,000 killed and wounded, and 800 prisoners since August 12th.

### THE ALLIED BOMBARDMENT.

ASIA MINOR TOWNS SUFFER SEVERELY.

LONDON, August 17

It is stated in Athens that the towns of Dekeli, Phoces, Moussandassi, and New Ephesus in Asia Minor suffered severly from the Allied bombardment. The population fled to the interior.

### MIDSHIPMAN DREWRY, V.C.

London, August 17. Midshipman Drewry, to whom a V.C. is awarded, was an officer on n P. and O. liner, and being a midshipman in the Naval Reserve was called up at the outbreak of war. He has had an adventurous career. When an apprentice on a sailing ship in 1912 he was wrecked on a desert island near Cape Horn where he spent a fortnight before being rescuedby a Chilian gunboat.

### KWANGTUNG FLOOD RELIEF FUND.

The Tung Wa Hospital begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the Kwangtung Flood Relief Fund:-T.T. from the Chinese Consul

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movement, and was posted to No. 2 Section Artillery Battery.

INSPECTION OF ARMS. \* Members of No. 8 Section, Scouts Co., will return their rifles and bayonets to evidence. Headquarters on Friday, 20th inst., before 10 s.m., for inspection. They will be ready for re-issue on Saturday, 21st inst.

Parades for Thursday, 19th inst., at 5.00 p.m. :-

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Detention Camp, Kowloon:-On duty "to-night: Scouts Company. Officer on duty: Lieut, Murphy.

On duty to-morrow night: Scouts Company. Officer on duty: Capt. Hutchison. On duty 20th instant: No. 1 Section Artillery Battery. Officer on duty: Liout. Kennett.

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Orderly Sergeant 18th to 25th instant: Corpl. Young.

O.C.s Companies and Sections requiring men from other units to make up the number of their guards must notify the Orderly Room at least 3 days before the date on which the men are required.

### THE YAUMATI MURDER CHARGE.

(Continued.)

Mr. Alabaster, on behalf of the prisoner, dealing with the alteration in the dying man's deposition, said it was altered in such a way as to suggest that the deceased recognized the prisoner. It was done without the knowledge of the Attorney General and without, apparently, the knowledge of the prisoner, at the request of a person The Attorney Consecution.

oir Alabaster: I must ray that in my eloven year's experience at the Bar I have never heard of such a thing being done before.

The Attorney General, suggested that "the person" might be called to give

His Lordship : You will have an opport

tunity to reply.

Prisoner in the box denied murdering Wong Tso: he did not even know hit; He added that he saw two men "a considerable distance away" from him when he heard cries of "Save Life. " He saw a constable start to pursue, and becoming afraid, he ran too. He said he was a cook and a pig-drafer and his master, " whom he left a month ago, " lived in Macao to He came to Hongkong two days before the merder to see if he could had a friend who could give him work.

Asked by the Attorney-General what he was doing at the sound of the murder, prisoner said he was merely taking a stroll. Roads were made for them to walk on. Directly he heard the police whistle he

"It is a curious thing," said the Attorney General, "that one of the mon who committed the murder was dressed in black. the same as you."

Accused unswered that if he was to be regarded as the murderer thon all people wearing black coats were murderers (laughter).

The hearing was accourated until to-INULLUM:

## BY TELEGRAPH.

(Wah Taz Yat Po's Service.)

SUN PO KI.

PERING, Aug. 17. Sun. Po Ki arrived at Peking yesterday.

TO REVIEW SOUTHERN PROVIN-CIAL TROOPS.

The Government is sending Yam Choung to proceed through the Southern provinces, to review the troops.

### GOVERNORSHIP OF SHENSI

It is announced that Councillor of State La Hiu Wahi will succeed Sung Lun Fooi as Governor of Shensi,

### ·· RAUBS.'

Mesers. Benjamin and Potts write us as follows;-

We are in receipt of telegraphic advice from our Singapore agents advising us of the returns of the Raub Australian Gold Mining Company for the last month as follows:--10,378 tons, 1,282 ounces.

### WEDDING GIFTS STOLEN.

### Thief and Receiver Smarty Dealt With.

The story of how a Chinese bride was robbed of practically the whole of her valuable wedding gifts worth thousands of dollars was revealed at the Criminal Sessions this afternoon.

The loss, said the Crown Solicitor, wasn. very large one. The articles were stolen in the dead of night. It required much ingenuity to get into the house and then to get the articles clear.

A man named Mak Kwong pleaded not guilty to a charge of receiving some of the stolen jewellery, valued at \$70...

The Crown Solicitor pointed out that defendant had said he bought the articles for \$25. The owner said they were worth 870 which was a fair and honest price. It was for defendant to satisfy the Court that he came by the goods lawfully.

The jury found accused guilty and he was sentenced to two years hard labour. Ho Nam alias Chan Chui a imitted that he was one of the robbers and was sentenced to seven years' hard labour. The Crown Solicitor sail it was about as bad a case of larceny from a dwelling as

they could have. The Police deserved great credit for having captured such a celver rogue. . .

### ROBBERS SENTENCED,

Three Chinese named Choung Tsoung. Tan Sang, Cheung Sar, were charged with robbery in the Au Tau district. They pleaded not guilty.

Each prisoner told the jury that the occupier of the robbed house had given their names to the Police. The third prisoner said that if he committed the robbery he was "quite willing that his Lordship should sentence him to be banged.

The jury found all p isoners guilty. The Crown Solicitor asked that, the cat might be included in the sentence. He also mentioned that the third prisoner had had been in gool for larceny and was a rogue and vagabond.

Prisoners were each sentenced to seven years' hard labour, and 12 strokes with the

### AN OPIUM HAUL.

Inspector P. O'Sullivan charged four Chinese on remand at the Court this afternoon before Mr. Wood with being in possession of 1600 taels of opium in a cargo boat in the harbour. Mr. Kong Sing defended one, and Mr. Shenton two

others. The second defendant, in the box, stated that he was only a broker for the first, who denied it. saying the reverse was the case.

The third defendant produced the license for his own boat. He met the others on the praya, he said, and the first defendant ordered the fourth defendant's bont. The first defendant came along later with two coolies carrying a number of the

Mr Shenton said that the second defendant was only a broker and there was not sufficient evidence of possess on-the only offence concerning raw oplum at present under the new Ordinance—to convict him. As regards the third defendant there was not a tittle of evidence that he know what

the goods were. Mr Kong Sing argued that the fourth defondant could not be said to be in posses. sion because the opium was 170 his boat when there were others claiming actual

possession. The Magistrate reserved his decision will Monday at noon.

### BANISHEE SENTENCED TO THREE YEARS IMPRISON. MENT.

A year's sentence does not seem bo. have much effect upon them; they seem to like it," observed the Crown Bolichers when prosecuting a Ohinese named Lo Ska for disaboying a deportation order, at the Oriminal Bessions this afternoon. Lo Shu, the Solicitor said, was barished for twenty years in Foblusty last and he had been identified by finger prints as the same person who had on three occasions been sontenced to a years, imprisonment for disobeying a banishment order

Prisoner, who admitted the charge, was sentenced to three years hard labour.

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### THE DROWNED

Sentence of death has been pronounced

upon George James Smith, and with his recommittal to prison, pending execution, there passes out of the life of this generation one of the most calloud and inhumun wretches that ever tole the weight physical or moral, as was this man, who of English law. The history of this showed himself, even at his best, an eriminal places him in a peculiar class insolent and greedy adventurer. It is of homicides, whose appearance in our rarely indeed that a judge accompanies courts, is comparatively rare; those, that the sentence of death with such words is to say, to whom the taking of life in as Mr. Justice Scrutton addressed, to cold blood is so much a matter of in- Smith; but who shall say they were not justified !-- "The Daily Tulegraph." difference that they can follow a systematic course of carefully plotted murder for the mere motive of pecuniary gain. A single deliberate murder for the sake of money is a well-known type of crime, though in the greater number of cases in which cupidity has been the original motive the actual shedding of blood has been done in a momentary access of ferocity or fear. Again, where a succassion of murders have been the work of one person, it has commonly happened that strong evidence of insanity-or what would be treated as such at the present day-has been present." But tales unfolded by the sister of mercy. and conduct, apart from his three con- treenty, the son of a general, "The Bultic is exceedingly sutisfactory, the full orche-tre of the g da, of which the

him their love and confidence..

the securing of a conviction in this German." case was not at one time regarded as a foregone conclusion by any means. That the verdict of the jury was rendered with such promptness as it was may be ascribed, we have no doubt, to the admirable clearness with which the learned judge marshalled the evidence in that that in each case the murderer, by way Prime Minister and Mr. Welter Long. of preparing for his feigned discovery of that no sinister plan lurked behind the the dead body, had gone out of the house apparently harmless provisions of the to buy food. In this, as in all the more Bill, but they refused to allow themselves essential details of his plan of crime, to be persuaded that no ulterior objects Smith simply repeated himself without were in view, although with curious inan attempt at variation, and that char. consistency some of them expressed their neteristic dulness was his undoing. And readiness to assent to conscription if such yet his deeds might never have come to a step were necessary. Their hostility light-he might even have practised will not prevent the passage of the Bill. again and again the hideous scheme of assumination which he had systematised attaches the greatest importance, and it net of incaution, into which a far cleverer terest of the country but the prestige of villain might have stumbled. In making the new Ministry would seriously suffer. Highgate the scene of his last crime. he unwittingly secured for the details and I fancy they will not give much of the death-which were published in further trouble. They will doubtiess put the London papers an enormously wider down many amendments, but they have publication than they would have had in not the general sense of the House with spector Neil took up that tangled task emergency actually arises - It only of investigation on the performance of mains for the Government to help the which he was so deservedly compliment. country to make registration effective by ed from the Bench. Smith, then, indicating to what particular forms of vanishes from the world whose common labour people should turn their thoughts.

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instinct of humanity he has so fearfully outraged, leaving to the history of crima case for which there can hardly be a near parallel. He houses, too, to the student of phychology one more example of the recurrent problem of the fuscinhtion that can be exercised over intelligent and virtuous women by men so destitude of vevery visible attraction.

A GRUESOME TALE.

German Officer's Delirium.

Reading like one of the stories of Edgar Allan Poo is the diary of a French nurse. recently arrived in Paris from a Bolgian city still in the possession of the Germans. Following is one of the gruesome the giving of the verdict, that the police comrades become somewhat uneasy, ships, had evidence of two bigamous marriages, Perhaps madam understands German, followed by robbery and desertion, but they whisper. What does it matter by nothing worse, in addition to the whether she does or not!" is the nonthree of which the hideous story was chalant answer of some. Let her tell told in the course of the trial. There what she has a mind to. Then H. bewas nothing whatever in Smith's record gins to rave-once more. 'You don't upon which a plea of insanity could be want to show us the way? he shout founded. His loud outbursts in court : Kill him! Four years? Let him go to were merely those of an impostor of a the devil, the dirty little French brat! commonplace, uninteresting type, des- I hate all the Frenchmen; I have always perately brazening it out to the last, hated them. Kill them; burn them! The touch of stupidity that mingled with love the war, the blood, the flames. For his elaborate cunning was thoroughly ward, you idiots, or I shall brain you all. normal. The only distinguishing feature Soft as women, you are!" Another of Smith's story is the frozen cruelty wounded. Captain de R., leaves his bed with which he planned and carried out and comes up to me saying: 'I beg of the killing, within eighteen months, of you, madem to go away. He is delirithree innocent women who had given ous and does not know what he is saying. But the others only laugh, and do damaged. Strange as it may appear to anyone 'R.'s protests are drowned in arguments who reads the summing-up of Mr. Jus- that he who does not approve the contice Scrutton, reported in our columns duct of the German troops is not a true

### VHY REGISTRATION IS OPPOSED.

to which I understand the Government into a means of livelihood-but for one it had to be dropped not only the in-The critics had their innings to-day, the columns of any local journal; and them. It is realised now that the Bill so the relatives of his previous victim, is a measure of preparation for a possible reading those details, were struck by the emergency, and that the Government, coincidence of the two cases. Sectland having learned the lesson of the war, have Yard was put upon the trail, and In. decided not to delay action until

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A BALTIC FLEET THAT IS GROWING.

Smith is a ruffian whose whole career It is about a young German officer of The progress of naval events in the summate crimes, was simply that of an other officers have a great deal of respect more so because of the overwhelming thu derelap is but a bent on the ordinary luster and swindler, living by for him. Wounded in the head; he is odds against which our Allies are pitted kettle, drum, and the hurricane the comparatively common trick of en- in a constant delirium." Forward, you (writes the Naval Expert of @ The trapping women into supposed marriage, pigs!" he shouts. "There never will be Daily News"). In those waters Russin his friends searched for him and found him and then making off with as much of chough of you killed! A child? What has only four pre-Dreadnought battle- there, but he was as one in a trance, be their property as he could by hands on. do I care? Kill is! Onward to Paris! ships, while Germany might at any time neither heard nor spoke. They took him His legitimate wife, who is still alive. Make that old woman shut up. Give concentrate the whole of her ficit there. was treated in this fashion; and Mr. her a taste of the bayonet! She will not comprising twenty pre-Dreadnoughts and Justice Scrutton informed the jury, after bother us any more. Famous!" His probably an equal number of all-big-gum him; that he seemed ter be continually

With regard to me reported sinking of a battleship of the Deutschland class. it will perhaps be as well to remember. that is a comparatively simple matter for a submarine to make a mistake ay regards the actual result of its work. since for obvious reasons it cannot come to the surface to make perfectly cortuin. The Austrians have erred in this direction twice this year-first in the case of the French battleship Jean Bart. and then in that of the still unnamed British cruiser." of the Liverpool class. which was torpedoed in the Adriatic two or three weeks ago. The Austrians believed-or at any rate declared-that they had sunk both ships, whereas in point of fact neither was seriously

THE HALTIC RECORD.

However, even if we leave the count for the time being, the record of interesting information about the supposed the Russian fleet remains on exceedingly passage of German submarines through the useful one. Their own Baltic losses since the outbreak of the war comprise the urmoured cruiser Pallada (7,775 the Mediterranean first circulated at tons) and the mine-layer Yeneset (2.328 Tangier early in April. The submarines, Suspicion that there is some mysteri- tons); while Germany has lost in these it was suggested; traversed the traits ous connection between registration and parts the armoured cruiser Friedrich surface of the water; thus escap by of thirteen articles in which he arranged compulsion is really responsible for most Karl (8,856 tons), the protected cruiser detection by the searchlights and the the polate of similarity between the cases of the attacks which were made to-night Magdeburg (4,480 tons), and the mine- patrols. They had been convoyed and of Smith's three unhappy victims a on the registration scheme. The critics layer Albatross (2,200 tons). The Rus. provisioned by two merchant bosts, one survey which even extended to the fact had definite assurances, both from the sian ships lost were both torpedoed by inc to the story in circulation. German underwater craft were sent to the bottom during the week-end October 10-12 last, when the Pallada was sunk,

BUSSIAN SHIPS ENGAGED. In the operations last week the principal Tiussian ships engaged were the following craisers, the first three being armoured and the others protected: Wurik (flagship), launched 1908, cur-

rying four 10-in., eight 8-in., and 20 4.7-in. guns on a displacement of 15,190 tons. Admiral Makaroff and Bayan, launched

1900-7, energing two 8-in. and eight 6-in guns on 7,775 tons. Bogatyr and Oleg, launched 19013 displacing 6,650 tons, and carrying

12 6-in. guns. Our Allies submarines have proved very efficient-whereby langs a tale In the Oceanographical Museum at Ber lin there lie the remains of a submarine, 261th long, designed and built by Bayarian corporal of horse named Bave during the war with Denmark. It die no more useful work than to make the Danish ships keep at a respectful distonco, from the German coasts, but was to a certain extent a practicable vessel. After the war Germany would have nothing more to do with Bauer and his inventions, so he went first to Austrie, then to England, and finally, Russia. Here, in 1855, he built a 52ft. subrunrine which allowing for the facthat she was propelled by man-power, was an eminently successful vessel, and at the coronation of the Tsar Alexander she took an orchestra on board at

that is now being used so successfull peninst lect. SUBLIRESE STRACES Since the beginning of the year following German ships have been su constally attacked in the Baltio by sub- to expect if the Germana came here. The Gazelle, light cruiser, Jan. 25; badl

Crowstadt and remained submerged for

four hours Thus did Germany intro-

duce to the notice of Russis the weapon

damaged. Torpedo-boat sunk off. Denmark, Jan Transport sunk off Liben, May 15.

Transport and torpede-boat sunk off Tabau, Juno 4. At the end of January a German gun-

boat was reported to have been submarined and sunk. ballanced now that the Excellence of the personnel has been so alimirably demonstrated. At the beginning of the war four 23,000 ton ships laid down in 1909

Atha Sevestopol, Gangut, Polaros nad Pairspuvlovaki, each armed with twelve Line gruss, were hearly ready, and there were ulm in hand four of the argest wardispa yet laule drive for any Power. These my the battle, ernisors I Ismuil. Kinhert, Mayolines and Navaria, which, whom completed will displace 32,200 toux apiece and carry a main armament of twelve 14in, game

There were also under way (in Russian yurds) the light cruisers Admiral Butnkov, Admiral Grieg, Admiral Spiridoff, and Scietlana, which will have a displacement of 7,000 tons, an armament of sixteen 5.1in. guns, and a designed speed of no less than 32 knots. The number of destroyors in hand at the Baltic yards-all fast, large, and wellarmed aralt-was 41.

### THE MUSIC OF THE GODS.

There was once a musician the was not a great musician as the world, counts greatness; none of his compositions lived long safter him death ; but he had a gift possureed usually only by the greatest musicians, namely, ability to write down any piece of music he heard. Que day this munician climbed to the summit of a lofty mountain, and as he sat there a great storm arose, and it was given to him to hear When at nightfall he did not return,

weeks be tomained in the same state, appering neither to see nor to hour anyth I wround cars." His friends saw that be was dying, but could do nothing. Then one day le seemed to return to consciousne s, and ask

for his manuscript paper. They brought it and he wrote down the music which he had heard; then, as he lay back, shadow of death on his face, he made the request that the music should not have his or any name attached to it. " for." said he. . it is greater music than any murtal mind could conceive." So he died ; but when the music was played, men called it discordant and horrible, for they said it was the work of a madman.

A. C. F. in the "MILL HILL MAGAZINE."

ENEMY SUBMARINES.

Reported Passage Through the Straits of Gibraltar.

The .. Tangier . correspondent .. of ... the Doutschland class battleship out of no Journal de Genevo recently sent some

He says the rumour that German submarines had passed from the Atlantic into People at Tangier who doubted that and marines could obtain necessary supplies so near the Straits were told by others who were convinced such had actually happened that an unusual number of large steam and sailing Spani-h fishing boats had put into Tangier during the past few months. Might not these heats, at times and places fixed

in advance, supply the submarines and also act as spite and scouts for them? STRICT PRECAUTIONS. The correspondent, taking leave

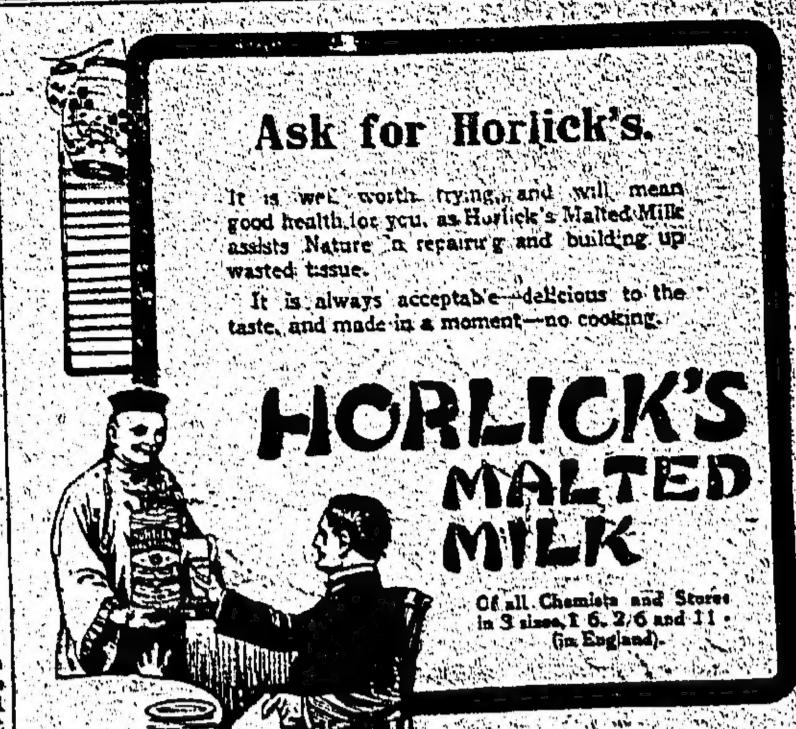
theories, proceeds to facts. not lose sight of the fact," he says, " that the Germans possess one of the most powerful wireless stations in the world Fpain, and that a very large number their countrymen have taken refuge in the Persinania, especially at Cadir, a port of call for the majority of the fishing craft that come in this direction. - Morever, it the Germans who used to live in the French Protecte ate on the international zone Tangier, have been expelled or interned. those at Larache - a town under Spanish f Avence-are still there. As a matter of fact, as L can personally testify. they are now more unmerces in this bior. occan port, so close to Tangier, and the Straits, than was the case before the war. Moreover, among these Germany are a merchant service officer and some engineers of the Hamburg company of Sieger and Wormer, concessionais as of an old port enterprise, who still control a perfectly modern plant and high explosives meant for quarry blasting purposes. At Tangier, far though we are from the war, no one boards a boat without the p repect of running certain risks. Passengers who reach here from France or Algiers describe the great precautions taken, clearly against submarines.

CINEMA "HORRORS OF WAR.

The Liverpool stipendiary magistrate dismissed a summons which came before him, raising the question whether a picture entitled " A Patriot of France," depicting some of the portor of war, should be shows as a cinema exhibition. The police contended that the picture was objectionable, but it was urged for the defence that people should be " kild what magistrate said he had been told that many people who had seen the picture were intpressed with its delevating and patriotic character," and thought it would mimulate

There are actually some 80,000 Armenians a the ranks of the Russian srmy in Poland, and 40, 00 in that of the Caucasmo: Thore besides them shout 10,000 The value of the reinforcements coming Armenian volunteers lighting in conjunction plong for the Russian Navy is greatly with the Reseian army in Asis Minor. Other Armeniana are flocking from all overthe world with the set purpose of driving from their country the unregenerate Turk who have so long defaced that fair and otherwise fortile land.

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TURDAY, Adgust 24:

St. Bartholomew's Day.

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Hongkong Stock Exchange Settlemen

SAFUEDLY, Aug. 28:-

Tob co Fund

The Chairs Dail.

Hongkons Webvesbay, August 18, 1915.

KILLED WITHOUT BEING STRUCK BY SHELL

ONE of the consequences of the present war will be to revolutionise the art of killing human beings with gun-fire, this being the final object of artillery, and not the wanton destruction of houses, buildings, cathedrals even, and the making of more or less large holes in the ground. On the upon living beings is quite as importvarious fields of battle men have ant as the discovery of the new ex- regards the chase and the arrest they frequently been found stark killed plosives themselves. Their radius of exactly in the position they occupied action is less than the possible one constable who took part in the arrest, when the shell which killed them of shrapnel, but they are more deadly exploded, the men showing no sign than the shrapnel, for in their radius of wound. These men when they of action no living being escapes, met their death were generally pro- whilst the shappel is dangerous only tected from the direct action of the when one of its balls or fragments bursting shells. The shells in ques- strikes home. tion are those fired by the French 75 mm. guns. There is no noxious gas LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS. known which is capable of producing such an instantaneous effect, and certainly none is evolved from the shells, seeing that the high temperatures developed by the detonation of the high explosives now used for charging shells, explosives which are trinitrated hydrocarbides (benzol. phenol, tolucl, naphthol) of the aromatic series, can only lead to the giving out of earbon monoxide and cyamogen, two gases which are but 1,282 oza slow in their action.

The men are killed by a sudden stoppage in blood circulation, and it is interesting to note in this connecltion an explanation put forward by Mr. R. Arnoux before the French Society of Civil Engineers after the reading of a paper recently Major Ferrus, on French, German. and "Austrian guns. Mr. Armiux received, in January last, from superior officer, commanding at the Front a pocket uneroid barometer Hossehold Furniture, etc. at Messre, which had been rendered unserviceable by the explosion close to it of a German high-explosive shell On examination, the speaker found the barometer to have been simply put out of order. It had ceased to not because one of the two transmission levers, connected with the hand, and this other lever. This could only ! linve been produced by an abnormal prosecuting, said the case was rather a bad TO DAY'S CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

YAUMATI MURDER CHARGE.

Such a dynamic pressure, however sheat were only about twelve feet Reed (owe 3.8), versus T. W. Hill and A. shead."

To Play.—J. F. de Rome and E. B. Reed (owe 3.8), versus T. W. Hill and A. H. Crew (rec. 3.8); W. G. Worcester and

to it, whilst in the case of those who a man named Wong Fuk at the Criminal Sutton and A. Biden (owe 1/6), versus H.

carbonic acid in solution in the blood, instructed by Mr. Agassiz of Mesers Hard. Viveash (owe 3,6); R. F. Hall and A.

in a proportion which is the larger!" pressure, are disenguged from the W. E. Ruse, A. Abdoolrahim and V.

blood in the shape of minute gaseous bubbles as soon as the pressure defew and simple, and unusually short for ber 3rd; and the third round has to be creases too suddenly from any cause. but that the facts would not require Hall and Whitmarsh will meet Hewitt These bubbles are driven into the very careful consideration, but the facts small arteries under the influence of there was seldem evidence of a direct the pressure exerted by the heart. If nature, but usually it was circumstantial. A murderer, as a rule, did not attack his victim openly but generally got their diameter is greater than that of the small arteries, they form so many him to some place where the action was gaseous plugs, which instantaneously before them they had the statement of the stop the blood circulation. They are deceased which was some evidence, taken produced the instant the atmospheric did not identify the prisoner and the rest depression takes place, and death of the evidence would be circumstantial. occurs before there is time for them the jury to infer from that circumstant al the man who assaulted the deceased. the ambient atmospheric pressure Certain circumstantial evidence of that kind returns to normal. The sudden action wight not be so convincing as the direct evidence but it was evidence upon which of things is the characteristic feature life; we draw conclusions or inferences of the shattering initrated explosives from circumstances.

The presecution were unable to now used, which combine power and, show in that case any express malice instructaneity both for in excess of on the part of the prisoner squinst the deceased. At first sight that might appear those possible with the use of black as a five in the evidence, but the law presumed that in every homecide it was not ancumbent on the prosecution to show these explosives were at first destined that the defendant had any express to destroy all kinds of fortified works that homicide was something less than and to demolish trenches, and the that. The facts could be divided into discovery of their unexpected action the arrest. For the facts of the stabbing the prosecution were dependent wholly on the dying deposition of the deceased. As would have the evidence of a Chinese constable, a hawker and another Chinese

o. The murder was alleged to hav taken place on July 9th at 8 p.m. close to the Government school Yaumati, and prisoner was seen run-ting a little distant from the scene of the occur runce. Prisoner ran into another street and eventually into Nathan Road where he was caught near the Kowloon mortual The decessed gave chase and, fell down

the statement that the deceased did not think he was going to die. The share quotatious published on the .His Lordship observed that the question back page are those declared at the morning

objection. The statement belot us so much the I certainly wont press the

sdvanced to \$70 sales from last night's Continuing, the Attorney General said strengthened to \$70 sales and boyers, that when the prisoner was arrested he China Sugara bave dropped half a point, had to draw his trunchoon. Both fell to wounded man chased him and before the

was walking along a street in Yaumati when he heard a disturbance from fighting. "I walked away and a Chinesponatable caw me and chased me. I did not know noyone elso was chasing me. I was so badly injured that I became unconscious. I told. the Police I did stab not as yone. I don't know him ; no knife or weapon was found on me. I know nothing of this matter."

stowaway on the a.a. " Chiyo Mars" from Many a to Hungkroe were sentenced to mix weeks berd labour each by Mr Wood and the Magistracy this morning.

overboard in a gumy bog 180 tack of prosternoon, was charged before Mr Would at 180. the Magatricy this mor ing and sentenced o are months hard labour.

powder. The projectiles charged with

neeting of local stock brokers. Below we

Douglas Steamships this morning had

price of \$67 beyore, and this afternoon

being quoted this afternoon at \$127 reliers.

Indus combined are steady at \$151

Raub output for the past four weeks is

NEWS OF THE DAY.

anniversary of the Emperor Francis Joseph

of Austria-Hongary, the unfortunate old

man.duped into war by the machinations

of Prundia.

To-day is the eighty-fifth birth lay

Three Filip uos charged with being

give the afternoon fluctuations.

SMART SENTENCE ON A HIGHWAY ROBBER.

Seven years' hard labour was the sentence passed upon a Chinese named Tang Sing Fak. by the Puisne Judge at the which normally bears on the other Criminal Bessions this morning, on an inlever, had shifted and had, instead, who admitted the charge, asked for taken up a position underneath leviency saying that he was "forced " to commit the robbery. The Crown Solicitor, Mr.P. M. Hodgson,

swelling out of the aneroid system, one, because it was committed on the due, as is manifest, to a considerable farmer and he had been given a sum of barometric depression; the little in 8400 by his son to take to Tai Po for the stroment had acted as a minimum small coins and was carried in two baskets. recording instrument, After shifting He was vaylaid on the road to Val Po by 9 p.m.- Night Aquatic Feto at V.R.C. the two levers back to their original vers and compelled hits to give up the Hall proceeds for Olysrettes and position by hand, and then placing coived \$250 of the \$100 and the remainder coived \$250 of the \$100 and the remainder the instrument under the bell of a was probably taken by the other sobber

pressure at the top of Mout Blanc, the altitude of which is 4810 m. of my foki's has lately been dismissed by the altitude of which is 4810 m.

(15.780 ft.) The explosion, therefore, had led to a sudden barometric or static depression in the room where the instrument was placed—a distance of less than 3 m. (less than 10 ft.) from the point where the shell burst, of at least 760—410=350 mm, (13.8 in.) of mercury, corresponding from the formulae generally used in nerodynamics, to a driving velocity of the air of 276 m. (905 ft.) per second and to a dynamic pressure of 10,360 kg. per sq. m. (2123 lb. per sq. ft.)

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Suph a device of the fight that the sup the Yauanti Government School as I usually do. I than the was passing at the back of the Yauanti Government School as I usually do. I than the was two men following me, I cannot identify them This is the sort of kinic with which I was stabbed. One of the men who at the chart of the master in the chase of the fight than 300 miles distant, direction unknown.

LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Law two men following me, I cannot identify them This is the sort of kine state I was a taking of the chart of the master I was a taking to the cannot develop them. The same them and the c

Man Ming Lane. He was suffering from two wounds in the abdomen.

Mr. Alabaster said it would be seen of a dying deposition rested cutirely on the

descretion of the Magistrate. Mr. Alabaster: I don't press the

resisted very stranuously and the coastable Gascoigne, Mr. A. H. Barlow. the ground and assistance was rendered by another constable. At the stati n prisoner said he ran because the Magiatrate, thinking, observed the Attorney General, that his other statement was rather damaging, the prisoner a id he

Evidence was then called. Dr. Moore send hooseed had two won ds in the alcionen which had pe forsted the intestine

in win places. Douth was due to bremorr-Mr. Alabaste : Would death be accele

Dr. W. J. Goodman gave evidence to the effect that he was present when the deceased a deposition was taken by Mr Lindself, Police Magistrate. Mr. A abaster, perming the original de-

position, informed his Lordship that a very in it-rial alteration had been mide. ( swid the Crown Solicitor had pointed out to bim, when the case came before the Lower Court, that his English was ambiguous and the Crown Solicitor asked him if he could remember exactly what deceased had said, Witness remembered that in answer to his ruestions deceased said be had nover scon he prisoner before "this business."

Analyst, giving evidence regarding a knife which was picked up, said he found stains of mamilian blood on the knife. Mr. Alabaster : It was not the blood of peacock but it may have been the blood any animal?-Witness Yes.

Mr. E. B. Dovey, Acting Governmen!

It may have been pig's blood - Yest His Kordships Was it recent blood Witness-Yes. Dotalla of prisorer's arrest was

Case proceeding

TYPHOON WARNING.

The following telegram was received at the American Consulate General from Manila Observatory at 10:30 a m. August

Cyclone or typhoon east of Luzen, more than 500 miles distant, direction auknown.

produced, has for effect to hurl up

This, the dying deposition of a man S. S. Moore (owe 2/8), versus R. Hancock

into the air, or to crush on the ground,
all the living beings directly exposed important part in a murden charge against Wood and E. J. Mitchell (owe 2/6); F.

Sutton and A. Biden (owe 1/6), versus H. are sheltered behind any kind of protection, the very sudden static depression of the surrounding atmosphere which ensues comes into play.

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Whitmarsh (owe 15), versus C. J. Hewitt the higher the ambient atmospheric Muses W. L. W. Wenser (foreman) F. F. and F. W. Cary (owe 15/3); L. N. Marphy Duckworth, J. M. Vieira, P. Mathieson, Foreyth and Colonel Crisp (owe 15). The best of three sets will be played

The first round has to be played off by

and Mass on August 23rd.

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE Guards.

WEDNESDLY, AUGUST 18TH British ...... I Sergeant and 7 men Portuguese ... 1 Chinese ..... 2 Indian ..... 1 O. C. Guard, Chief Inspector Mason.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19TH. British ...... 1 Sorgeant and 7 men Chinese ...... Portuguese ... 2

O. C. Guard, Serreant-Major Roylance. FRIDAY AUGUST 20TH (PROVISIONALLY). British ....... 1 Sergeant and 7 men Indian ...

O. C. Guard, Acting- napactor J. M (Sgd.) F. C. JESKIN. D. S. P. (Reserve).

THE FAR EAST IN PARLIA-MENT.

THE BRITISH AND RIAOCHOW. (July 7.) Mr. Jowett saked the Secretary for Foreign Affairs whether, in view of the joint nature of the military operations at Kiso-chow there was now any joint administration by the Japanese and British of the affairs of the port, or whother any British Consul or Vice Consul

had yet been appointed there Lord Robert Cecil, who replied, said the answer to the first part of the question was in the negative. As regar fed the second part, a British Vice-Consul was appointed at Kiao-chow in 1911, and still continued to represent British interests at that port. Mr. King: Is it intended that the Japanese shall have permanent control of espected by the end of August or the beginning of September. Kiao-chow, without any reference to our rights and position there Lord Robert Cecil said that did not arise

PASSENGERS EXPECTED.

out of the question.

Per P. and O. steamen, Moldavia, Frem London August 7 .- Mr F. L. Jarrett, Mrs

Per N. Y. K. a.s Kitano Maru. From London July 31 .- Mr .- H. North, Mrs Rouse and 2 children. Per N. Y. K. s.s. Fushimi Maru, From London August 14 .- Mr and Mrs A. T.

Campbell, Mr and Mrs Muir and infant, Miss G. Ovenden, Mrs Chance, Miss Plumb, Mr W. H. Stapleton, Mr C. I.

THE END OF A CHINA CLIPPER.

The Norwegian, barque Fiery Cross, recently sunk by a German submarine off the Scilly Isles, was the celebrated China clipper that figured so prominently in the great ten races of the sixties. She was built in 1880 to applace the uld Fiery Drum, which had been wrecked in the A sampan man who, when he saw the rated by deceased running any distance?—

police coming in another sampan, dropped

Witness: Yes.

Would it have been possible to says his maiden voyage by Dallas, who had been so pared opium at Causeway Bay jesterday life if he had for run i—No. I don't think successful with the first Fiery Oross. Then previous year, and Mr. Basil Lubbook, in Richard Robinson and her until 1866, and under these two femous skippers she proved wall nigh invincible, receiving the premium for the first yessel in dock on no fewer than four occast na, and being only 24 hours hehind in 1864 and 1866. Bestiles remaining in the forefront of the racing for years longer than any other vassel, she outlived Mr. Lindsell, Police Magistrate, called, all her contemporaries." In the great ton race of 1866, won by the beautiful Ariel. the Fiery Ores held the lead for a long time, and when in the Downs was obliged to anchor because of a gale that aprang up. In 1871 she deserted the London trade for that of New York, and was afterwards sold to the Norwegians.

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TELEGRAPH.

PROGRESS OF WAR. THE

BRITISH TRANSPORT SUNK IN THE AEGEAN SEA.

A LARGE NUMBER OF TROOPS ON BOARD.

GERMAN COLUMN PRACTICALLY ANNIBILATED.

TRIESTE EXPECTED TO FALL SOON.

THE GREEK GOVERNMENT RESIGNS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

BRITISH TRANSPORT SUNK

32 OFFICERS AND 1,350 TROOPS ABOARD.

London, Aug. 17, 1.50 p.m. The Admiralty announces that the British transport " Royal Edward" was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Aegeun Sen on Saturday.

She had aboard 32 officers and 1350 troops in addion to the crew, 220 of the troops were mainly reinforcements of the 29th. Division and

Details of the Army Medical Corps. Full information has not yet been received, but it is known that about 600

> GERMAN COLUMN PRACTICALLY ANNIHILATED.

GASSED BY THEIR OWN GAS.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 8,40 a.m. A telegram from Petrograd states that it has just transpired that

a German column has been gassed by their own gas at Ossowiecz. Recently 3,000 Germans advanced at dawn with a view to storming one of the forts. They were preceded by an asphyxiating cloud. The wind suddenly changed and the Germans field panic-stricken to their fortress. Guns shot them down by hundreds, while the German artilery, not realising the reason for the flight, also shelled them. The column was practically annihilated.

TRIESTE TO BE OCCUPIED BY THE

END OF THE MONTH. LONDON, Aug 17, 11, p.m. A telegram from Udine states that the reports from the front say that " General Cardorna has almost completed his preparations for a fresh general attack and that it is espected to result in the occupation of the Carso

The fall of Gorizia and the entry of the Italians into Trieste may be

RESIGNATION OF THE GREEK GOVERNMENT.

A VENEZELIST ELECTED PRESIDENT.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 4 a.m.

telegrum from Athens; states that the Greek Government has

Prior to the resignation, the Chumber elected a Venezelist as Pre-

RUSSIANS REPULSE A SERIES OF

sident by 182 votes to 93 against the Government candidate.

GERMAN ATTACKS. BOMBARDMENT OF KOYNO CONTINUES.

Loxoox, Aug. 17, 4 a.m. A Potrograd communique states: The Germans in the Bausk district. have again been driven back towards the An River. The German bothbardment of Kovno continues incessantly, while furious fighting betweenthe Hivers Narew and Bug ended in the repulse of a series of German

ALLIES DECLARE COTTON CONTRABAND.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 11.45 a.m. A telegram from Washington states that the Government has been unofficially but authoritatively advised that the Allies intend to declare cotton contraband. It is stated that the decision has already been reached, but that the delay of the announcement is due to the necessity of the Allies making a uniform arrangement.

GERMAN INTRIGUES IN AMERICA.

FURTHER DISCLOSURES.

The New York World, in a second instalment of documents provug German intrigues, includes a letter from a German agent in Chicago to a German financial director, Dr. Albert, suggesting the acquisition of be Wright Aeroplane Works at Dayton.

The World, in an editorial, states that the Government at Washing ton can no longer afford to close their eyes to the German official con-MAMBERLAIN'S Colic, Cholers and spirucy uguinst the pence and welfare of the United States. The Evening Post says that the World has proved that large sums

German gold have been spent in the United States. The Evening Telegraph states that it should be an easy nicker to lave Count Bernstorff recalled and other undesirables deported; but the disgusting fact remains that a number of American citizons have sold themselves for German gold.

The Evening Sau rejoices that the fight less new been transferred for

## BY TELEGRAPH.

### CROWN PRINCE'S ARMY AGAIN REPULSED.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 4.30 p.n. A telegram from Paris states that there have been only cannonades except an attempted attack by the Crown Prince's army in the Argonne, which the French artillery and infantry fire threw back into their own lines.

### BRITISH GALLANTRY IN THE DARD ANDLLES

DESPATCH FROM VICE-ADMIRAL ROBECK.

Full Text.

- Vice-Admiral Robock's despatch has been issued on the landing at the Dardanelles. It gives technical naval details of a deathless story of the landing at Gallipoli. He pays elequent, tributes to the gallantry, of the sister service, saying that such actions as the storming of Seddulbahr by the 29th. Division must live in history for ever. The heroism, daring and absolute contempt for deith which was displayed alone made the operations possible.

The Australasians were magnificent, and nothing could check such mer. They set a standard as high as any army in the world, of which Sexten Valley, Drava. After the artillary had wrecked enemy entrenchments the Empire had every reason to be proud.

have been well maintained, but that the list of names and recom- prisoners. mediations must lack many gallant deeds which passed unobserved. The Vice-Admiral, adds: "If I specially "mention one particular on the 13th inst., 200 dead being found in one trench, acton it must be that of Commander Unwin and the two young officers

the collier " River Clyde " and the bench at Soldalbahr." The Gagette announces that the five officers and men above-mentioled have been awarded the Victoria Cross.

The desputch says that the lighters, which were to form a bridge "Inch the" Biver Clyde " to the shore, drifted out of position, whereupon "Commander Edward Unwin, seeing how things were going, stood up to his waist in the water under the heaviest fire and got the lighters into polition, assisted by Midshipmen G. L. Drewry of the "Flussar" and W S. Malleson of the "Cornwallis," and Seamen W. C. Williams and G M Samson, both of the " Hussar, " and

The Gazette further announces that the Victoria Cross has been conferred on Commander Eric Robinson who on February 26th advanced aline under heavy fire into an enemy gun position, which might well hive been occupied, and destroyed a 4-in, gun and returned for another osurge wherewith another gun was destroyed. Commander Hobinson would not allow members, of the demolition party to accompany because their white uniforms rendered them conspicuous.

Communder Robinson also participated in four attacks on minefields always under heavy fire.

It will be remembered that Communder (then Lieutenant) Robinson commanded the picket-boat party which blew up submarine E 15 which was wrocked in the Dardanelles. For this service he was pro-

Vice-Admiral Robeck's despatch speaks of the invaluable service rendered by Rear-Admirals Et. Wemyss, I. Thursby, and S. Nicholson.

Special recommendations include a surgeon, two lieutenant-commanders, two lieutenants, a bootswain and ten midshipmen. All these midshipmen have been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

The Gazette also announces awards of sixteen Distinguished Service Orders, twenty Distinguished Crosses and a darge number of medals and commendations to seamen

### PARTICULARS OF GALLANT DEEDS.

Vice-Admiral Robeck, giving particulars of the deeds for which the V.C.'s were awarded, says Commander Unwin left his ship under a murderous fire and worked till, suffering from cold and immersion, he was obliged to return to the ship, where he wrapped himself in blankets. Then, having recovered somewhat, he returned to the work, against the doctor's orders, and completed it. Later he was again attended by the duel all day at numerous points on the front, doctor for three abrasions caused by bullets, after which he went in the lifebont and saved the wounded in the shakow water. He continued enemy again bombarded St. Die. his labours until he was utterly physically exhausted.

Midshipman Drewry, although wounded in the head, continued fire to a German factory east of Munster. to work and twice subsequently attempted to swim from lighter to lighter with a line.

Midshipman Malleson, when Drewry had failed from exhaustion. succeeded in taking the line from lighter to lighter. The line subsequently broke and Malleson made two further but unsuccessful attempts. Seaman Williams held the line in the water for over an hour under

heavy fire till he was killed. Seaman Samson worked on the lighter all'day long attending to the

Vice-Admiral Robeck specially commends the work of his staff. feature of the D.S.O. awards is the bravery of the officers of the "In- with substantial security-for instance, the British 41 per cent. Loan exempt flexible" when the buttle-cruiser struck a mine in the Dardanelles. -The from income tax. decoration is award to Lieut.-Commander Acheson and Sab-Lieut. Giles. who went forward to the magazine and shell-room when working parties had been driven therefrom by the fumes of the mine, and closed the valves and the watertight doors. Engineer-Officers Lashmore, Lester. and Parry set a fine example. The engine-room was in semi-darkness gallantly faced the fumes, as did Surgeon Langford.

The Distinguished Service Order is also awarded to Surgeon P. B. Kelly, who was wounded on the "River Clyde," but attended to 650 wounded although in great pain and unable to walk. Other very gallant deeds were done in mine-sweeping, in saving

men off the "Irresistible " when mined, etc., all under the heaviest fire.

### "CRUSHING REPLY" TO AUSTRIA.

LONDON, August 177 The United States, says a Washington telegram, has sent a crush- from fires, while Panchevo was panic stricken. ing really to the Austrian Note regarding inunitions. The Note emphasises that Germany and Austria furnished Great Britain with munitions during the Boer War, when "despite the commercial isolation of one of the belligerents the Germans sold to Great Britain hundreds of thousands of kiles of explosives, gun-power, cartridges, shot and weapons, and Austria also similarly sold munitions in smaller quantities." The Unhited States appends a table of these sales by Germany and Austria 1

The reply concludes by stating that if Germany and Austria then refused to sell arms to Great Britain "on the ground that to do se would wiolate the spirit of strict neutrality, the Austrian Government might with greater consistency and force urge, its present contention."

### THE CUMBERLAND COAST SHELLED.

LONDON, August 16. It is a officially announced that a submarino fired several shells at Parton, If rrington and Whitehavon early this morning. No material damage was done and there were no casualties.

A few shiells hit the milway embankment north of Parton, but the train service was only slightly delayed.

Fires our sed at Whitehaven and Liarrington were casily extinguished.

### A HEITCH IN TURCO-BULGARIAN NECOTIATIONS

London, August 16. There a ru important signs, saya a telegram from Sofia, that the Jureo-Bulgai rian negotiations have failed. Government circles announce that the nego printions have been provisionally adjourned owing to differences in regarded to certain matters of details which in theraselves are not, of profession for him but his objections are of a mature to o cause a mipture. Hope is also expressed that Turkey will pugilistic pupil to the other servant and see reason and I concede the Bulgari n domands; but people liere, knowing Turkish in tentality, believe the negotiations will never be resumed, escapes to a house where he has encountered intense dislike of the Tucks to making any concessions with a distinguished week-end quest. The at if a Bulgarian attack in co-organiton with the Allies Turkey will coming give in liowever, probably house a young man with a sorious mind should always be on hand. For sale by all the sale by all the For sale by all the Formal and Store any concessions vill be too late.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

IN THE TRACK OF THE RUSSIAN ARMIES.

THE HORIZON RED WITH FLAMING VILLAGES.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 11 p.m. A telegram from Copenhagen states that a Danish war correspondent with the Austrians in Poland telegraphs that "Wherever we go the horizon is red with faming villages." The Austrians are making strenuous efforts to save the remnants of the crops, but they are so over-ripe that the grain falls at the slightest touch. Every scrap of metal has been carefully collected; The correspondent spent a night in an old castle where everything down to the door-fittings were looted. There is a famine of wood owing to the Russians having burned everything, placing the Germans and Austrians in the greatest difficulties and leading to curious devices. The correspondent way a bridge across a river constructed of wooden bedsteads,

Cholers larks everywhere and farmers display bundles of straw as a warning of the existence of the disease.

### FRESH SUCCESSES BY THE ITALIANS.

"London, August 17, 4.40 a.m. A Rome communique states: The Italians made fresh progress in the. and silenced the enemy batteries, the infantry advanced up the valleys of The Vice-Admiral also states that the great traditions of the many Bacherbach and Bodenbach, storming the enemy's defences and taking many

It is confirmed that the enemy lost heavily in the fight in Popens Valley

The Italians also made fresh progress in the Montenero zone, taking 300 and two seamen who assisted him in establishing communication between | prisoners, while they repulsed a violent night attack at Freikofel and at other positions in Cardia.

### REGISTRATION SUNDAY

EXPERIENCES OF ENUMERATORS.

. Registration Sunday was occupied by the population of the United Kingdom in filling up the National Register forms which the army of volunt-

ary workers delivered last week to be collected to-day. The enumerators had many difficult situations to deal with, especially in the cases of dwellers in house-boats and on canal barges, but their labours were considerably lightened by the goodwill with which they were everywhere

Special forms were issued to the Jews and the interpreters of Yiddish and other languages have been very busy, . "

Ten enumerators at the Earls Court refugees camp interviewed 2,000 Belgians who had not filled up the forms, and obtained their signatures to the forms in three hours. Here three of the enumerators met with physical

### MUNITIONS FROM CANADA.

It is officially auneunced, says a telegram from Ottawa, that Great Britain has placed munition orders in Canada to the extent of £46,000,000 sterling.

TURKS REVOLT AGAINST GERMAN OFFICERS.

LONDON, Aug., 16. It is reported at Athens that 45 Turkish officers from Gallipoli have been sent in chains to Constantinople, following a revolt against the arrogance of

Signs of revolution at Constantinople, arising out of the resentment of the Turks against the Germans, are already apparent, especially as the new German Ambassador has proposed to bring German civil officials to Constantinople.

### GERMAN GASOMETERS AND FACTORY DESTROYED.

LONDON, Aug. 16. To day's Paris, communique states that there has been a violent artillery Our batteries inflicted great losses and damaged enemy works. The

We shelled and blew up gasometers at St. Marie-aux-Mines, and also set

STERLING EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK.

Heavy Fall Causes Grave Apprehension.

The continued heavy fall in sterling exchange in New York is causing grave apprehension both in New York and London. It is recognised that it is wounded and getting out lines till he was dangerously wounded by a useless to ship gold, inasmuch as America is already over-supplied.

Maxim.

Various financial authorities recommend that each belligerent should issue

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BRITISH ARTILLERY SUPERIORITY

Reuter's and other correspondents at Headquarters emphasise that the and great heat, and the ship was in possible danger of sinking, but they recent British success at Hooge was due to the superiority of the British artillery .- Our men were elated, and the Germans were surprised at seeing German artillery for the first time evenly matched.

HOW THE BOMBARDMENT OF BELGRADE WAS CHECKED.

LOND IN, Aug. 17. The enemy's latest move against Serbia, says a message from Nish, was the bombardment of Belgrade with heavy howitzers. Thereupon the Serbians, in order to compel the enemy to desist, cannonaded Semlin and Panche to, especially aiming at the quarter occupied by the Austrian and German Reserves. A communique says that our bombardment was most effective, thick smoke rising

The enemy's bombardment promptly ceased, having inflicted no casualties.

ALL THE "BRESLAU'S GUNNERS DROWNED.

LONDON, Aug. 17. The members of the crew drowned in the sinking of the Turkish battleship Barbarossa include all the Breslaw's gunners.

### REVIEWS.

Doyle. G. Bell and Son, London. A new mystery. Our hero escapes and is employ. Goods have left the Steamer or Godowns. Sherlock Holmes story. Renewing your ed by some ladies travelling in a carriven; All claims against the steamer must be acquaintance with Sherlock Holmes after and the young man with the vacuous express presented to the Undersigned on or before many years, is like heating a favourite sion reappears as the lover of a lovely the 25th August or they will not be singer in youth and then again when age actress who is one of the travellers recognised.

Inter on the boy becomes a furgitive again. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods. The vim, the life, the excitement have gone and his adventures, would make a fine and Sherlock Holmes in "The Valley of subject for a cinema film as his flight takes Fear," is only a shadow of the old Sherlock, bim through lonely woods, into cottages. who thrilled one many years ago in his over roofs and across vegetable gardens. early adventures. The faithful Dr. Watson | The book is full of human and slightly is still true, and all the accessories are the real puzzling in that there is a great deal left to But I think if one roully wents to while the imagination. away a pleasant hour with a detective story | The Heiress Of Swallow Cliffe. E one could not do better than go back to Rygret Green. Stanley Paul and Co.

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the old stories of "The Adventures of cannot say that it gave me say pleasure to read his book, nor do I feel that I can find BEALEY, H. G. Wells. A curious book lanything to say about it. The characters A story of the adventures of a small boy who are unconvincing and unreal and the story

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## TELEGRAPH. GALLIGURA

Rauter's Service to the China Mall. THE IRISH MAIL DISASTER

Further Details. LONDON, Aug. 16. The Irish mail, which ran off the lines near Northampton, was full of holiday makers, including many soldiers from Flanders. Several soldiers were among

he injured Among the injured was Lord Montengle, who has been sent to hospital with a cut head, Mr. O. Spring-Rice, son of the British Ambassador to the United States, who injured his spine, and Mr. Arthur Lynch, M.P., who had a lucky Tel. 492.

A Field Artillery ambulance was rushed to the spot drawn by four horse. Thus the injured received splendidly prompt aid.

### OBITUARY.

LONDON, August 17 The death is announced of Sir Charles Allen Lawson.

[Sir Charles Lawson was editor of the Madras Daily News in 1863, editor of the Madras Times from 1864 to 1368, and of the Madrus Mail from 1868 to 1802. He was knighted in 1887-Ed. ]

U.S. CAYALRY HAVE A BRUSH WITH MEXICANS.

LONDON, August 17. A telegram from Brownsville, Texas, states that 100 Mexicans, under cover of darkness forded the Rio Grande near Mercedes. They were partly surrounded by the 21st United States. Cavalry, who killed one and wounded two, after which the Mexicans escaped across the

THE POPE'S LOYE FOR FRANCE.

... LONDON, Aug. 17. A telegram from Paris states that the Pope, replying to a Message from the Archbishop of Rheims, says "Noble and generous France, as the eldest daughter of the Church, should never doubt our love, for her."

TURKISH SULTAN'S HEALTH " CAUSING ANXIETY.

LONDON, Aug. 17. The Temps Dedeagatch correspondent telegraphs that the Sultan's health is causing anxiety. His convalescence. after his recent operations has been slow and difficult and his weakness is increasing.

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9th October, 1915. Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The

contents and value of all packages are required.
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F. A. HEWETT, Su serintenden Hongkong, August 14, 1915.

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5.5. "SEIKO MARU". end of August. S.S. "GISHUN MARU" middle of Sept. For freight and further particulars, etc.

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Hongkong, Aug. 4, 1915.

### NOTICES TO CONSIGNAL

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FROM SHANGHAL, KOBE AND MOJI.

THE Steamship Sangela, having arsignces of Corgo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from along-

Cargo, impeding the discharge will be ianded at Consignees' risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous. Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloos Wharf and Godown Company Limited. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be counters igned by

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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP, CO.

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FROM BAN FRANCISCO. JAPAN PORTS AND MANILA

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamhly

SIBERIA, The above mentioned vessel & having arrived. Consigness of Cargo are hereby. notified to send in their bills of Miding for countersignature and take immediate delivery of cargo from allowed Cargo impeding discharge will be last led immediately at Consignees risk and appense.

Cargo remaining on board THU 3DAY,
August 12th, 1916, at Noon will subject
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TUESDAY August 17th, 1915,
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Hongkong, August 12, 1915

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Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO.

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Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of Booking.

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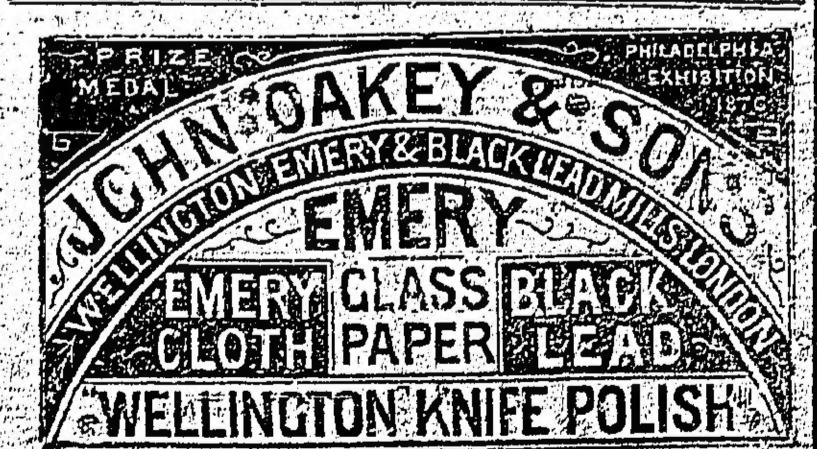
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FROM MIDDLESBRU', LONDON

AND STRAITS. THE Steamship

BENVENUE. .Consignues of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Oo., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th August, will be subject to rent! All Claims against the Stramer must presented to the Undersigned on or before the Slat August, or they will not be re-.beziggo All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 24th August, No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTUN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, August 17, 1915.

### TO CONSIGNERS

TOYO KISEN KAISHA:

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, TH HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS AND MANILA.

THE Stoamship CHIYO MARU.

The above named Steamer having arrived, Consiguess of Cargo are hereby notified to sand in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate annum. delivery of Cargo from alongside. Cargo remaining undelivered on WED.

NESDAY, August 18th, at Noon will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense, and delivery must then be taken from the Company's Godown. Storage charges will be seessed, on all Goods remaining undelivered on 24th August at 5 p.M. No Fire Insurance whatever will be

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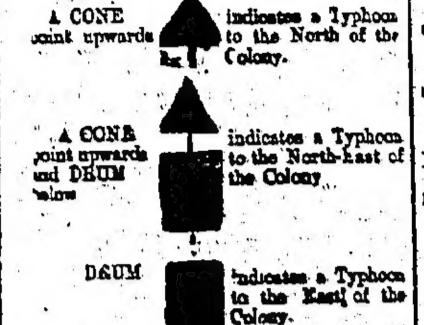
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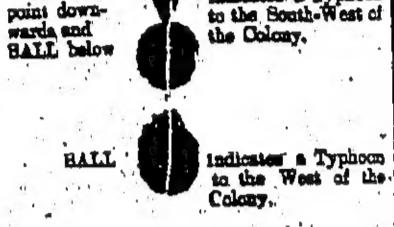
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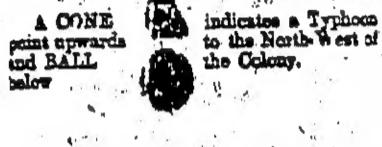
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Black Signals indicate that the centre is believed to be less than 300 miles away from the Colony. I he above signals will, as herstofors, be

Per Nameuns, at 2 p.m., on Friday, hoisted only when typhoons exist in such positions or are moving in such directions. that information regarding them is considered to be of importance to the Colony or to shipping leaving the harbour.

### URGENT BINGALS.

in addition to the above, when it is expected that the wind may increase to Per Taksung, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the full typhoon force at any moment, the following Urgent Signals will be made of the Water Police Station, and repeated t'e Harbour Office :-

CHENN MIFLOSIVE BOMBS AT INTERVALS OF THE RECORDS.

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The following Night Signals will b hoisted from the Flagstaff on the roof o the Water Police Station at Kowloon, the Harbour Office Flagstaff, and H.M.S. TRULAY.

L. Three Lights Vertical Green, Green Green, indicates that a typhoon is believed VICTURIA, TACOMA & UNITED so be estuated more than 300 miles from the Colony.

IL. Three Lights Vertical, Green, Rec Green, indicates that a typhoon is believe LON, ADELAIDE, WESTERN to be situated less than 800 miles from AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, III Three Lights Vertical, Red, Gree

Red, indicates that the wind may expected to increase to full typhoon for st any moment. No. III Signal will be accompanied the Explosive Bombe, as above, in th event or the information conveyed by th

signal being first published by night. The Night Signals will be substituted in the Day Signals at sunset, and will, who "necessary, be altered during the night,

### SUPPLEMENTARY WARRINGS.

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This will indicate that there is a depres Steam Laundry Co., Limited ..... 20,000 sion somewhere in the China Ses, and that a Store Warning is holsted in the Harbour.

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Further details can always be give Ocean Vessels on Jessens by signal, from the lighthouse.

U. W. JEVFEIEL,

Director.

### WEATHER REPORT

On the 18th at 11.65 Pressure has in creas d slightly over eastern Japan and the Bonins and decreased slightly to moderate ly elsewhere. An irregular area of relatively high pro sure covers Japan, the L ochous and the Bonius; gradients continua to be slight.

A trough of low pressure extends from Annam, across Luzon to the Pacific; a typhoon is probably forming in its eastern extremity, i.e., at a considerable distance to the east of Luzon.

anding at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending an noon on August 10th. f .- Hongkong and Neighbourhood : Light westerly or variable winds, fine

generally. 2.-Formosa Channel : S. winds, light. 3 .- South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks : The same as No. 1. 4. - South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan: The same as No. 1.

ALEXANDRA CAPEL OYSTERS: Fresh, Fried or Steward, Finden Haddicks, Eippers, &c.

Hongkong, Angust 18 1915. On London-Bank Wire. Crodite, 4 mouths' sight, Documentary, & months' sight 1/- 102 In Parla-On demand. Credits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-On demand. On New York-On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight, Hongwong rainfall for the 24 hours On Bombay-On Calcutta-On Singapore-.On demand On Manila-On demand On Shanghal-On demand 30 days' sight On Yokohama-On demand, Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) Sovereigns (Banks! Buyingrate) \$11.20 to Silver (per os.) Ohinese Copper Cash ... ... Chinese Copper Cents ... Rate of Native interest Chinese Sub. Coin ... Hongkong Sub. Coin ... 93% dis.

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